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The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: The claims are allowable due to the recitation of at least one of: having the center of the optical zone coincident with the center of the nasal superior zone; defining the center of the nasal superior zone in terms of the pupillary diameter with respect to the optical center of the cornea; producing the corrective profile as an aspherical concavity centered on an unablated central corneal region; and an apparatus to adapt a laser corneal recurving system for performing a presbyopic correction including input means including a data storage for the data relating to the particular zone dimensions and locations including at least one circular and three annular zones.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

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